Notices of Firms.

NOTICE

TITE Have This Day Admitted Mr.

a PARTNER in our Firm in Hongkong

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILTY of

SALVES in the Firm of Messrs. ROZARIO

on by the Undersigned alone, under the

NOTICE.

ATOTICE is hereby given that the

tween Mr. Francisco Manede Gonsalves

and Mr. Augusto José do Rozanto, as

kong, has This Day been DISSOLVED by

TITITH Reference to the above, I have

NOTICE.

RAR. L. JUEDELL has been Admitted

NOTICE.

TATE Have authorised Mr. FRANK

NOTICE.

MR. CECIL WILLIAM HOLLIDAY

IVI is Admitted a PARTNER in our

ERNEST NICHOL to Sign our

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

a PARTNER in our Firm in Hot-

A. SCHOMBURG & Co.

This Day ESTABLISHED myself

F. M. GONSALVES.

ROZARIO & Co., MERCHARTS, of Hong-

Hongkong, December 31, 1885.

Firm of GONSALVES & Co.

14. Aberdeen Street,

Hongkong, January 1, 1886.

HOW and PAKHOI from this date.

Hoihow 1st January, 1886.

Hongkong, January 4, 1886.

Hongkong, January 1, 1886.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

having been Invited by Residents

at Swarow, to make a professional visit,

intends being ABSENT from the 6th to 18th

January. He respectfully requests his

Friends who may urgently require his Ser-

vices to attend at his Office before that date.

STREET, during his Absence, will receive

(NEXT DOOR TO ORIENTAL BANK).

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

Chromometer, Watch & Clack Makers.

Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

TAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND

METEOROLOGICAL

INSTRUMENTS.

VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED

RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES.

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NAUTICAL BOOKS.

English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARR

Christofle & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.

GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY.

in great variety.

DIAMONDS

DIAMOND JEWELLERY

A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

COUPONS for INTEREST falling due

on 31st December, 1885, will be Paid

on presentation at the OFFICE of the HONG-

KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

WANTED

A Situation as SHIPPING CLERK

h by a Portuguese, who has been

lately in CHARGE of a large SHIPPING DE-

GRIFFITH'S

NOW READY,

1, DUDDELL STREET.

GRIFFITH & Co.,

MANUFACTURERS

OF THE

Hongkong, June 9, 1884.

VIEWS OF HONGKONG

BATAVIA,

c/o. Poste Restante,

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents.

Hongkong, on and after that date.

Hongkong, December 31, 1885.

PARTMENT in a Mercantile House.

Apply to

30th December, 1885.

Good Reference and Testimonials.

PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742

BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES.

immediate attention on his return.

2, Duddell Street,

Hongkong, January 6, 1886.

-Letters addressed to No. 2, Duddell

PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing be-

The BUSINESS will in future be CARRIED

AUGUSTO JOSE DO ROZARIO.

& Co., CEASED on the 31st December last.

Mr. FRANCISCO MAMEDE GON-

Hongkong, January I, 1886.

SAME Style as heretofore.

Mutual Consent.

premises in Hongkong. Business hours at this place, as MERCHANT, SHIPPING and

on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 Commission Agent, under the Style or

Hongkong, January 1, 1886

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

SHELLIM EZEKIEL SHELLIM

Vol. XLII, No. 7009.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's

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PARIS AND EUROPE:—Amedbi Prince

NEW YORK :-- ANDREW WIND, 21, Park

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports

SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.:—SAYLE &

CHINA :- Macao, F. A. DE CRUZ. Swa-

ZEALAND :- GORDON & GOTOH, Mcl-

generally: -BEAN & BLACK, San Fran-

Co., Square, Singapore. C. Heinszen

tow, Quelon & Co. Amoy, Wilson,

NICHOLLS & Co. Foochow, HEDGE &

Co. Stanghai, Lane, Crawford &

Co.; and KELLY & WALSH. Yokohama.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY

Banks.

NOTICE.

DULES OF THE HONGKONG

-The business of the above Bank will-

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250

3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having

at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4. -Interest at the rate of 35 per cent. per

their daily balances.

ning of July.

are necessary.

Hongkong and China.

Hongkong, May 7, 1885.

of Dividends,.....

H. L. DALRYMPLE.

M. GROTE, Esq.

at one time will not be received. No

depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

\$100 or more at their credit may at

thoir option transfer the same to the

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-

poration on fixed deposit for 12 months

annum will be allowed to depositors on

—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be pre-

sented with each payment or with-

drawal. Depositors must not make

any entries themselves in their Pass-

Books but should send them to be

the beginning of January and begin-

the Bank if marked On Hongkong

Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free

by the various British Post Offices in

depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book

For the

HONGRONG'& SHANGHAT BANKING

CORPORATION.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION } 8 500,000

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PEO- \$7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Thairman-Hon. F. D. SASSOON.

Deputy Chairman-A. McIver, Esq.

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MANAGER.

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Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum

n 4 per cent. n

LOUAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

and every description of Banking and

chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK

CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL,....£2,000,000

PAID-UP...... 500,000

REGISTERED OFFICE,

40. THEBADNEEDLE, STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES:

In India, China, Japan and the Colonies.

THE Bank RECEIVES Money on Deposit, buys and sells Bills of Exchange,

issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for

Collection, and transacts Banking and

CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK

CORPORATION PURCHASED ON

ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS.

INSURANCE COMPANY.

H. A. HERBERT,

Hongkong Branch.

Manager,

GILMAN & Co.

had on application.

Hongkong, July 4, 1885.

against FIRE at Current Rates.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

Agency Business generally on terms to be

T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

Drafts granted on London, and

Australia, America, China and Japan.

Hongkong, December 31, 1885.

Credits granted on approved Securities.

For Fixed Deposits:-

Exchange business transacted.

N Current Deposit Account at the rate

of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily

5 per cent. II

LORDON BANKARS. - London and County

O. D. BOTTOMLEY, | H. HOPPTUS, Esq.

T. JACKSON,

6. - Correspondence as to the business of

7.-Withdrawals may be made on demand,

written up at least twice a year, about Firm per Procuration.

but the personal attendance of the Firm from this date.

-Chief Manager.

E. H. M. HUNTING-

Hon. W. KESWICK.

A. P. McEwen, Esq.

TON. Esq.

be conducted by the Hongkong and

Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their

SAVINGS' BANK.

& Co. 36, Rue Lafagette, Paris.

Leadenhall Street.

bourns and Sydney.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1886.

Business Notices. LANDED,

A FRESH SUPPLY OF

SUFFULK

HAMS, BACON,

POTTED BEEF AND HAM.

PIGS' FEET AND TONGUES. SALTED FOREHANDS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 30, 1885.

JUST RECEIVED

CATALOGUES ON APPLICATION.

KELLY & WAISH, LIMITED, HONOKONG.

Hongkong, January 4, 1886.

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL). While advertising our 'Speci-Dress Suit, Scotch Tweed

Suit, \$15,00 Over 100 patterns of Stylish

754 TR. WONG TAI-FONG, DENTIST, Tweeds of Good value to select from.

alties' we also wish to draw the attention of our Customers to our, now, complete Stock of TWEED SUITINGS, COAT-INGS, TROUSERINGS, SER-GES, FLANNELS, &c. A large and choice selection of the newest FABRICS of English, Scotch and Continental Manufacture, from-medium to the very finest

fine Cloth made color and cognised. suitable to the \_climate\_\_\_\_

\$30.00.

Of West o

England Super-

qualities.

Hongkong, October 1, 1885. JUST RECEIVED TABLE LINEN in every width.

DOWCLIFFES SANITARY WOVEN WIRE MATTRESSES, all sizes. IRON BEDSTEADS and Infants' Cors. New Patterns in Tapestries & Cretonnes. Coloured TABLE CLOTHS and FRINGES. GIPSY TABLES and WHATNOTS. FENDERS, FIRE IRONS and COAL BOXES.

A good assortment of Juds and FANCY

DINNER NAPKINE washed and hemmed ready for use. Towels and BATH BLANKETS. DUSTER and KITCHEN CLOTHS. FLOOR OIL CLOTHS and MATTINGS. HEARTH RUGS in various sizes. TRAVELLING TRUNKS and Boxes. New Patterns in Bedroom WARE. SOLE AGENTS IN HONGKONG FOR ROSENKRANZ'S GELEBRATED PIANOS

W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, January 8, 1886.

### Victoria Hotel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government e Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much en- they will not be recognised. larged and improved and is now one of the principal Horers in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a mostcomfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD

and SMOKING ROOMS. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE. Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

# Intimations.

DENTAL NOTICE.

TAR POATE having RETURNED to the Colony, may now be Consulted as heretofore, at BANK BUILDINGS, Wyndham

Hongkong, January 11, 1886. DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS-WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG, Surgeon Dentist, FORMERLY ABTICLED APPRENTICE AND LAT-TERLY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS,)

T the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly oc- Rates. cupled by Dr. Rogers,

## Intimations. HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COM-

PANY, LIMITED. HEREBY beg to notify that Mr. WILLIAM SIDNEY BAMSEY has

been Appointed Assistant Manager to the above Company from this date. HENRY R. H. MARTIN, General Manager.

Hongkong, January 13, 1886. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s PIERS AND GODOWNS,

WEST POINT. HESE are now in Working Order,-STEAMERS are BERTHED at the Wharf, and CARGO EECELVED and STORED at Cheap The GODOWNS are two storied, dry

Hongkong, December 2, 1885.

# 日一十月二十年酉乙

SATURDAY,

Just Landed ex S.S. Teheran,

A WELL SELECTED INVOICE OF

JAPANESE WARE,

comprising:

and HIZEN VASES in great variety, JARS,

INCENSE BURNEES, BOWLS, PLATES, TEA

and BREAKFAST SETS, EGG-SHELL WARE,

&c.; Gold and Silver Inlaid Bronzes,

CLOISONNE WARE, BANKO WARE, NITCH-

KIES, GOLD and SILVER EMBROIDERED BED

ONE VERY HANDSOME LARGE BLACK-

Catalogues will be issued, and the Articles

PUBLIC AUCTION.

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY.

the 20th January, 1886, at 2 p.m., at the

THE WHOLE OF THE

ELEGANT

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,

comprising:---

AMERICAN-MADE WALNUT DRAWING-ROOM

MARBLE-TOP CONSOLE TABLE with GLASS

CHIMMEY GLASSES, OIL PAINTINGS, CHRO-

EXTENSION DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD,

ENGLISH-MAPE MAHOGANY DOUBLE-WING-ED WARDROBE with PLATE GLASS DOORS.

Double Iron Bedsteads, Brass Mount-

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Author Pr

WARDROBES with GLISS DOORS, BUREAU

with GLASS, MARBLE-TOP WASHSTANDS. DAMASK COVERED BEDROOM SUITE.

ED. AMERICAN-MADE BEDSTEADS.

Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary,

Hongkong, January 14, 1886.

IMPORTANT AUCTION NOTICE

SALE OF ANGIENT AND MODERN

WORKS OF ART.

TIESSRS. KUHN & Co.

VI the well-known ART DEALERS of

Yokohama, have favored me with instruc-

SATURDAY,

the 23rd January, 1886, at 2 p.m., on the

THE ENTIRE STOCK

of the

QUEEN'S-ROAD-STORE.

next door to Misses GATE & FAIRALL

comprising :---

SATIN and SILK EMBROIDERED SCREENS,

OLD BROGADES, KIMINOS and KAKIMINOS,

BRONZES, CLOISONNE ENAMELS, IVORY CAR-

VINGS, and ORNAMENTS. NETSUKIES, and

INROWA, BORNZE, GOLD and SILVER INLAID

JEWELLERY, SWORD GUIRDS MOUNTED as

MENU CARD HOLDERS, GENUINE SATSUMA.

IMARI and KAGA PORCELAINS, PHOTO-

GRAPHIC ALBUMS, by Japanese Artists;

and a great variety of BRIU & BRAC and

CABINETS, and ELECANT CARINET ORNA-

able Collection has been formed by Mr.

KUHN, and was originally intended for

the Bombay Exhibition (which was

abandoned), and to avoid risk and

expenses of transhipment, the Goods

will be Sold without reserve to the high-

est bidder. This will afford a rare

chance to all Purchasers, and more so to

Lovers of Art, as Goods of this Class

G. R. LAMMERT.

Auctioneer.

are seldom offered at Public Sales.

Catalogues will be issued previous to the

Sale, and the Articles will be on view on

Steamers.

FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG, VIA

SUEZ CANAL

Capt. F. Nagel, will be despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, January 13, 1886.

FOR SINGAPORE AND RANGOON.

(If sufficient inducement offers.)

J. Alexander, Master, will load here for the

above Ports, and will have quick despatch.

The Steemship

Ports on the 21st Instant.

The Steamship

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Agents.

TREMS OF SALE. —As customary.

Hongkong, January 13, 1886.

Friday, the 22nd Instant.

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on

APANESE FINE CURIOS

A COTTAGE PIANO.

WHATNOTS, DINNER, DESSERT and BREAK-

FAST SETS, GLASS and PLATED WARE.

MOS. and ORNAMENTS.

CARPETS, and HEARTH RUGS.

78 MHE Undersigned has received instruc-

G. R. LAMMERT.

Auctioneer.

will be on view on Thursday Afternoon,

TERMS OF SALE, -As customary.

Hongkong, January 11, 1886.

Covens, and Schems, &c., &c.

ETC.,

Street,-

SATSUMA, KANGA, IMARI, MIACO, TORIO

PUBLIC AUCTION

A N 18 FOOT DINGY, painted White A Topside, Black Bottom, and Blue Gunwale, has been PICKED UP, off BEL-BRONZES, &c. CHER'S BAY, by a Boat of this Department. THE Undersigned has received instruc-The Owner can obtain possession or tions to Sell by Public Auction, on application, and payment of expenses of

> R. MURRAY RUMSEY, the 16th January, 1886, at 2 p.m., at his Rt.-Com., R.N., Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,-Acting Harbour Master, &c.

Harbour Office, 14th January, 1886.

advertizing.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

Intimations.

NOTIOE.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Thirty-Ninth Ordinary Half-Yearl MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the OFFICE of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, on SATURDAY, the 30th Instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 30th Instant, inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

T. ARNOLD, Secretary. Hongkong, January 11, 1886.

KUHN & Co., (of Yokohama).

APANESE FINE ART Residence of Mrs. Chandos, No. 7, Gage EXHIBITION.

HONGKONG HOTEL. ORDERS. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

EVERY DESCRIPTION JAPANESE MANUFACTURES

promptly executed. Hongkong, January 13, 1886.

# Notices to Consignees.

UNION LINE NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM HAMBURG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Prinz Friedrich Carl, Captain LINDE, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby

requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored

at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. All Claims against the Steamer must be fast in presented to the Undersigned on or before the 23rd Instant, or they will not be re-RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, January 14, 1886.

STEAMSHIP ANADYR. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London, Antwerp and Bordeaux, ex Steam-

ships Gange and Invertay, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables-are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless

intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon To-DAY (Monday), requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Mon-DAY, the 18th January, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at 1 The greater portion of this Fine and Valucent, per package per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Wednesday, the 20th January, or

No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, January 11, 1886.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. PRINZ GEORG, FROM YOKO-HAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby re-

quested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the

Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will-be effected. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned immediately,

or they will not be recognised. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, January 9, 1886.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Ex Iranuaddy. 511 (in paral.), 1/20=20 cases Vermonth, Order, from Marseilles. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

### Shipping. Auctions.

Steamers.

JAPANESE PORCELAINS, DOUGLAS, STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED.

PRICE, \$2 PER. MONTH.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Goddard, will be

Ports on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 14, 1886.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE 5 1.5 The Co.'s Steamship. Palamed.

Capt. JAORSON, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, January 14, 1886.

UNION LINE.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIGGO. The Steamship Prinz Friedrich Carl, Captain Linds, will be despatched for the above

Ports on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co..

Hongkong, January 14, 1886.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND. CALCUTTA. The Steamship

Arratoon Apear,
Capt. A. B. MacTavish,
will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, January 6, 1886. FOR ROTTERDAM AND LONDON,

VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship

Captain Les, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 16th Instant Ful Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co.. Hongkong, January 12, 1886.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship Douglas. Captain Young, will be despatched for the above

Ports on SUNDAY, the 17th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, January 14, 1886.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Talbor, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 18th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., General Managers

Hongkong, January 13, 1886.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI PIA AMOY.

Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW. CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship despatched as above on MONDAY, the 18th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hongkong, January 9, 1886.

# Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Barque The 3/3 L.1.1. British Barque

Arnguda,

Green, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, December 31, 1885. 2286 FOR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Barque George,
WM. GRANT, Master, will load
here for the above Port, and

will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, January 6, 1886.

SAILOR'S HOME.

A NY Cast off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or A Parkes will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home; West Point. 95 | Hongkong, July 95, 1878,

LONDON ÆRATED WATERS, No. 2, DUDDELL STREET. 1, DUDDELL STREET, airy, and well suited for the STORAGE of NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE SILK, COTTON and WOOLLEN PIECE GOODS Continue to Supply: CONSULTATION FREE as well as GENERAL MERCHANDISE. SODA WATER, LEMONADE, Advances made on Cargo stored. THE Undersigned, AGENTS of the above Torne GINGEBADE, Discount to missionaries and families. For Rates and further Particulars, apply Company, are authorized to Insure REPRESENTADE, Sole Address to the MANAGER, or to &c., &c., &c. 2, DUDDELL STREET H ALLIANGARRALE JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. (Next to the New Oriental Bank.) At the same Moderate Charges. Hongkong, January 12, 1885.

Agent. Hongkong, January 7, 1886

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents. Hongkong, January 18, 1886.

For Freight, &c., apply to

## For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.

VICTORIA-EXCHANGE, QUEEN'H ROAD CENTRAL.

TAVEJUSTLANDED

# STORES.

York HAMS. Stilton CHEESE. Pudding RAISINS (Valencias).

-CURRANTS-(Patras).-.

MINCEMEAT. CHRISTMAS CAKES FIGS.

ALMONDS and RAISINS.

Brizil NUTS. Soft-Shell ALMONDS. Metz FRUITS. Crystallized FRUITS.

> FRUITS in Syrups. Imperial PLUMS. Plum PUDDINGS. COSAQUES.

CALIFORNIA PRODUCTS.

CONDENSED MILK. KEROSINE LAMPS. FAIRBANK'S SCALES.

COOKING STOVES.

STOVES.

THE USUAL ASSORTMENT

WINES.

· Lowest Possible Prices CASH

Macewen, frickel & Co. Hongkong, December 1, 1885.

WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Chinese.) TASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the owof Ladies and Gentlemen, can nus be had at this Office.—Price, \$1 each, CHINA MAIL Office.

## Intimations.

**FINE SAN FRANCISCO CORDAGE** COMPANY. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

FOR SALE. PURE MANILA AND SISAL ROPES in Coils, from 6 Thread to 8 inches. 6 to 12 Thread Mantia, 12 Cents per 16 11 inch to 8 inches n 11 n Apply at the

GODOWNS. No. 13, Praya Central. Hongkong, December 31, 1885. NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are | S respectfully informed that, if upon | S their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of Sy the Company's FOREMEN should be at | Sy hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the | T HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will V receive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found Y necessary, Communication with the Under-

signed is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, August 25, 1885. NOTICE.

LIOR the Convenience of Customers, the Productions of the 'CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, can henceforward be obtained by RETAIL, FOR CASH, at No. 3, PREL STREET, at the same prices as at the REFINERY; or Retail Orders will be delivered at addresses in town on applicants forwarding their Monthly Requirements in writing direct to the REFINERY at East Point.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, July 27, 1885. CHEE WO LING KEE TIAS always on Hand STEAM

LAUNCHES FOR HIRE. Charges as follows :---Wing-Shing, Wing-Cheong, and Wing-Tye. For first hour.

11 8000md 11 - 4 - 32. every subsequent hour. - - 81: Wing-Fuk, Wing-Loy, and Wing-Lee. For first hour, 83. Rates for towing Vessels and Cargo boats, or use of Launones for Excursions to Macao, Canton, or other places may be Beranged at No. 29, WING WO STREET.

Hongkong, June 19, 1885. 079 Mr. Andrew Wind, NEWS AGENT, &c. 21. PARK ROW, NEW YORK: is authorized to receive Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c., for the China Mail,

Querland China Mail, and China Review

### Entertainment.

CITY HALL

TO-MORROW EVENING, 16th January, 1886.

IDHE 'SNOWDROPS' · beg to announce their THIRD GRAND ETHIOPIAN DRAW ING-ROOM ENTERTAINMENT. COMMENCING AT 9 P.M. -

Tickets may be obtained and Seats secured at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh's, on and after. Wednesday, 13th Instant.

Prices of Admission: Dress Circle and Stalls. -Back Seats. - - -

N.B.—The proceeds of this Entertainment will be devoted to Local Charity. Hongkong, January 15, 1886.

# To-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP FALKENBURG, FROM HAMBURG AND SAIGON.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby re-Quested to send in their Bills of Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned immediately, or they will not be recognised. MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, January 15, 1886. Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE.

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING .. STEAMERS.

THE Steamship SAN PABLO, will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 30th Instant, at 3 p.m. Connection being made at Yokohama.

with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the lay previous to sailing. RETURN PASSAGES.-Passengers, who

have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Roturn Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to | SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.) Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo

destined to ports beyond San Francisco, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San

Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central,

C. D. HARMAN, Hongkong, January 15, 1886.

# To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

THE CHINA MAIL.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

Captain Guinere, will be despatched as above on

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor

their stay in Hongkony Harbour :-

. Stetson.—Messageries Maritimes.

Calhoun. - Wing Chong Kit.

Grant.—Captain.

Day.—Order.

YUEN FAT HONG

H. J. H. TRIPP.

FIELD & SWIRE.

Karberg & Co.:

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP Co.

H. TRIPP.

Wynn.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

HEELA.—American ship, Captain E. A.

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

January 14, 1886 :--

Haiphong January 12, Rice, &c.—A. R

Crusader, British steamer, 618, J. Rowin

January 15:-

Danube. British steamer. 561. Geo

inderson, Holhow January 13, General -

Plainmeller, British steamer, 1,196, J

Rowe, Nagasaki January 9, Coal.—H. J.

Diomed, British ateamer, 1,736, W. I

Guthrie, Shanghai January 10, Amoy 13

and Swatow 14. General -BUTTERFIELD &

Strathairly, British steamer, 1,236, D.

Hailoong, British steamer, 277, J. S.

Wenchow, British steamer, 560, Vallack,

Swatow January 14, General. Borre

Newcastle November 21, Coal.—ABNHOLD

C. F. Sergent, American ship, 1,638

Activ. Danish steamer, 245, Ch. Revs.

John Knox. British steamer, 1.350. R. H

Brolly, Amoy January 11, and Swatow 14,

Nepaul, British steamer, 1,987, T. J. Alderton, London November 25, and Sin

gapore January 9, Mails and General. - P.

DEPARTURES.

January 15 :--

Rio Lima, Portuguese gun-vessel, for Macao

A. G. STOKES. Share Broker

Belgic, for Yokohama and San Francisco.

General.—Adamson, Bell & Co.

Camelot, for Swatow and Amoy.

Lady Harewood, for Whampos.

Mongkut, for Swatow and Bangkok.

& O. S. N. Co.1

Galveston, for Saigon.

110 Kut Sang, for Shanghai.

beck, Haiphong January 10, Pakhoi 12,

Atherton, Cardiff July 13, Coal.—ORDER.

Boughton, Kutchinotzu January 9, Coal.-

Wyllie, Swatow January 14, General.

BUNDAY, the 17th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, January 15, 1886.

The Co.'s Steamship

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

FOR SHANGHAL. The Steamskip

Capt. F. Schulz, will be Port TO-MORROW, the 16th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to -SIEMSSEN-&-Co.-Hongkong, January 15, 1886.

GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through

Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW

CALEDONIA, TASMANIA and ADELAIDE.) The Departure of the Captain Allison, for the above Ports, is POSTPONED till MON-67 DAY, the 18th Instant, at 5 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Managers. Hongkong, January 15, 1886.

Chas. L. Flinn.—Order. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI (DERECT.) bohm.—Melchers & Co.

r NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE. The Co.'s Steamship

Orestes,
Capt. Webster, will be
desputched as above on SATURDAY, the 23rd Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Hongkong, January 15, 1886. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS. LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TAS-MANIA, &c.)

The Steamship Captain HELMS, will be Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 27th Instant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, January 15, 1886. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO.

BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL. CUTTA, PERSIAN GULF, BLACK

The Co.'s Steamship Capt. R. Depens, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 30th Inst., at Noon. For further Particulars, regarding Freight

For further information as to Freight and Passage, apply to the Agency of the or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, Praya Central.

Hongkong, January 15, 1886.

# Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Versels.	Captain.	Agents.	Vate of Leaving.
1 00				
Amoy and Tameni	Fokien (s)	Goddard	Douglas Lapraik & Co	January 16, at noon.
ciavre, &c., via Suez Canai	Electra (a)	F. Nagel		January 21.
London, via Suez Canal	Diomed (b)	Guthrie		Jan. 17, at daylight.
London, and Ports of Cail	Cathay (8)	J. P. Hassall	4	January 19, at 4 p.m.
Manila, via Amov	Zafiro (s)	Talbot		January 18, at 5 p.m.
Marsellles, &c., via Saigon	Yangtsé (a)			January 26, at noon.
Rotterdam, London, &c				About January 16.
San Francisco, via Yokohama	City of Peking (s)		Pacific Mail S. S. Co	
San Francisco, via Yokohama	San Pablo (a)	***	O. & O. S. S. Co.	
San Francisco	Arnguda	[ _'.	Russell & Co	Onick dematch
Shanghai	Yangtaze (a)	F. Schulz	Siemssen & Co.	
Shanghai	Orestes (s).	Webster	Butterfield & Swire	
Shanghai, via Amoy	Glaucus (s)		Butterfield & Swire	
Singapore, Penang and Culcutta	Airatoon Apear (a).	A. B. MacTavish	David Sasson Sone & Co.	Tanuary 16. at 2 mm
Singapore and Rangeon	Vesnasian (s)	Alexander	Archold, Karberg & Co	Oniale despatch
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Donolas (a)			
Sydney and Molbourne	Feilung (s)			Jan. 17, at daylight.
Sydney and Melbourne, &c	Manmair (a)		Gibb, Livingston & Co	
Frieste, &c	Madues (a)		Russell & Co	
Victoria (British Columbia)	George	Wm Grant	O. Bachrach	
Yokohama and Kobé	Palamad (a)	Tagraan	Russell & Co	Эшск певрасец
Yokohama and Hiogo	Pring Friedrick Carl (a)		Butterfield & Swire	January 16, at noon,
	is sing a rientich can (s)	Linde	Russell & Co	January 10, at 2 p.m.
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	*	SHA	RE L	ist.—Quo	TATIONS.		January 15, 1886.
Stocks.	Nos. of Shares.	Value.	Paid-	Position PE	LAST REPORT.	Last Dividend	Closing Quotations, Cash
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. INSURANCES.	60,000 \$	<b>3</b> 125	<b>8</b> 125	\$ 4,500,000 For equali- sation of div. \$ 500,000	<b>\$</b> 50,779.22	£ 2 half year	<b>金额实验证金数</b>
North-China Insurance Co., Ld Yangtsze Insurance Company, Ld Union Insurance Society Co., Ld	5,000 ± 8,000 ± 2,000	2	£ 25	£ 50,000	Tls. 461,023.02	Course High	Tis. 300 per share Tis. 128 \$450 — ex div. seller
	24.000	83.33	<b>3</b> 25	\$ 600,000 \$ 155,000	8 200.735.71 8 242.276	18% Fannum	\$65 c cash ex div.
Chinese Insurance Co., Limited	1;500	1,000	<b>3</b> 200	<b>3</b> 28,711.50	Oredit balance \$ 35,165.20		\$160 - " ex div., buyer
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld China Fire Insurance Co., Ld	8,000 \$ 20,000 \$			<b>\$</b> 909,609.66	9 297,568.07	The control of the property of the control	8390 per share 8782 cash, buyers
HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., L.I.	8,000	3 100	JM 4 E 12	8 - 206, 236, 55 deprec. ' fund	Q A Koon		53 prem., cash
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000	50			\$ 402.22	12% yearend- ing June30/84	Par. sollers
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited 60,000 shares issued	18,387 ± 31,212 ±	2 10 3 10					6 % discount, cash
China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld	3,500	100	all				25 discount
MISCELLANBOUS.  H'kong & Whampos Dock Co., Ld.  HK. and Chius Gas Co., Limited.)		125	<b>8</b> 125 E 10			6% half year	70} % prem., cash, buyers
Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt	1,900 4	3 16	£ 7.10	E 8,552.17.10	•••	<del> </del>	\$120 per share
J,000 abs. issued	2,000 1,000 8,000	100 100	50 <b>\$ 10</b> 0		13,274.13	New, \$2	Old, \$155 per share ex div. New, \$ 771 \$86 per share, cash
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld Luzon Sugar Company, Limited	600 \$	50	<b>8</b> 50	and an administration of the second	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	\$10	\$163 per share, cash, sellers \$125 ji \$84 : cash
Perak Tin Mining & S'ting Co.	5,000	50	All		First year		120
Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samatan Mining Co	40,000	100 16	all B 5		do.	[1] 机工作系统 (第1)的分子[[	\$5 buyers f
H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld.	8,000	50		Raies of Int	First year		860 r cast
Chinese Imperial 1881	8.5657		all		Payable. June16&Dec.10		
1884 A	2790 <b>2</b> 2790 <b>3</b>		All	<b>8 Y</b>	March 15		2 % prem.
- 11 1884 C Sngar Dehentures, 1880:	3189 <b>8</b>	500	all all	8% 8% 8%	June 30 Oct. 15 June & Decam.		Z II Z III Z Dram

### CLEARED.

Cheron, for Akyat. Storfurden, for New York. Yangtue, for Shanghai. Signal, for Hothow and Pakhol. Palamed, for Yokohama. Protos, for Saigon.

Passengers.

Per Crusader, from Halphong, 2 Euro ceans, and 13 Chinese Per Danube, from Hollow, 13 Chinese. Por Diomed, from Shanghai, &c., Messrs Ludvig and Borthwick, and 399 Chinese. Per Hailoong, from Swatow, 25 Chinese. Per Wenchow, from Swatow, 53 Chinese. Per Activ, from Haiphong, &c., 94 Chi

Per John Knoz, from Amey, &c., 835

Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Per Nepaul, for Hongkong: from London, Messrs E. George, J. S. Brewer, F. Hender Crew of the following Vessels, during son, Reinhardt, Miss Wood, Messre Plage and Morgan, Sergt, and Mrs Morrison, 2 CARONDELET, American ship, Capt. W children and 2 infants ; from Gibraltar, Mr. M. Terral : from Brindisi, Mesers Skinner, CEYLON, American barque, Captain R and McLeary; from Bombay, Mesers Lalcaca, Yam Tiu, and Ali Hee; from Penang, Dr and Mrs Kerr, and 83 Chinese; from Colorado, American barque, Capt. J. D. Singapore, 27 Chinese, and 1 Chinese for Swatow. Fr Yokohama: from London, George, British barque, Capt. William Mr Webster; from Brindisi, Mr James For Shanghai: from London, Misses Sugden and Williams, Mrs Wheeley, and Lieut. GREAT SURGEON, American barque, Capt. Bourchier; from Venice, Mr Moyerink; from Brindisi, Capt. Lang, Measrs Woods. HARMONIA, German ship, Captain Kasse

> Per Kut Sang, for Shanghai, 12 Chinese Per Camelot, for Swatow, &c., 327 Chi-

DEPARTED.

Per Mongkut, for Swatow, &c., 100 Chi-Per Galveston, for Saigon, 50 Chinese. Per Belgic, for Yokohama, H.E. Thomaz de Souza Roza and European servant, Mr and Mrs Menton and maid, Mr A. Marques d'Oliveira and servant, Mr Ignacio Jesson and servant, Mr and Mrs G. B. Knapp and child, Master Knapp, Miss Hopwood, Europeans, 1 Japanese and 3 Chinese; for San Francisco, Rev. C. A. Stanley, Mr Lay Sung and 136 Chinese.

TO DEPART. Per Yanguze, for Shanghai, 1 European Per Signal, for Heihow, &c., 120 Chinese. Per Palamed, for Yokoliama, 5 Europeans. Per Protos, for Saigon, 200 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer rusader reports: LAWN

Had very strong breeze from N.E. to N.W. from Haiphong till Ladrone Islands; thence fine weather to port. Passed the steamer Danube off Cope St. John. The British steamer Danube reports: Left Hollow on Wednesday, the 13th, at ayiight; and experienced strong N.E.

monsoons and heavy head sea, with cloudy weather throughout. Colorado, American bqs., 1,036, Wyman, The British steamer Diomed reports Had strong monsoon and cloudy weather. Arrived at Amoy on the 12th, and left or the 13th. Arrived at Swatow on the 14th. and left same date.

The British steamer Plainmeller reports: Had fresh Northerly winds. January 14th, and Hoihow 14, General .-- AENHOLD, KARspoke Colorado. The British steamer Hailoong reports Had moderate Northerly wind and cloudy weather throughout. Steamer in Swatow.

The British steamer Wenchow reports ad moderate monsoon and hazy weather.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For AMOY & TAMSUL .-

Per Fokien, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday. the 16th inst. For YOKOHAMA AND KUBE. Per Palamed, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 16th inst.

For SWATOW -Par Danube, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 16th inst.

For SAIGON. Per Harter, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 16th inst. For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS. Per John Knox, at 0.30 p.m., on Satur-

day, the 16th inst. For YOKOHAMA AND HIGGO. Por Prinz Frederich Carl, at 1.30 p.m. on Saturday, the 16th inst., instead of as previously notified.

For STRAITS & CALCUTTA. Per Arrateon Apear, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 16th inst. For SHANGHAL -Per Yangtere, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday,

the 16th inst. For SANDAKAN .--Per Elsa, at 4.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 10th inst. For STRAITS & LONDON .-

Per Diomed, at 5 p.m., of Saturday, the For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Per Douglas, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 18th inst. For HAIPHONG .-

Per Crusader, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 17th inst. For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS-LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNS. VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY,

MELBOURNE, &c., &c., &c. Per Fei-lung, at 4 30 p.m., on Monday, the 18th inst., instead of as previously notified. FOR AMOY AND MANILA .-

Per Zafiro, at 4.30 p.m., on Monday, the 18th inst. For SAIGUN. Per Duburg, at 4 p.m., on Tuesday, the 19th inst., instead of as previously

notified

&c. &c. —

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS-LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNS. VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY,

MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, &c.

Per Menmuir at 3.30 p.m., on Wednes. day, the 27th inst. HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH MAIL

The following hours are observed in closing

Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet :-Day of Departure,—
Noon. — Money Order Office closes. 2 P.M. Registry of Letters ceases.

Posting of all printed matter ar 3.10 r.M.—Letters may be posted with for this post Late bee of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M. -- When the Post Office closes

on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping. Noon. Fokien leaves for Amoy, &c. Noon - Palamed leaves for Y'hams, &c.

2 p.m .- Prinz Friedrich Carl leaves for Yokohama, &c. 3 p.m. Taisang and Arratoon Apcar leave for Straits and Calcutta. 4 p.m .- Yangteze leaves for Shanghai

4 p.m. - Feiling leaves for Australian Auctions.

2 p.m.-Auction of Japanese Ware, at Mr G. R. Lammert's. Amusements. 9 p.m. -Performance at the City Hall

### General Memoranda.

MDAY. January 17:-Transfer Books of H.K., C. & M. Steamboat Co., Ltd., closed from this date to 30th Instant, inclusive.

ONDAY, January 18:-Goods per Steamer Anadyr unclaimed Tomes; Mr A. H. Jackson; Mr L. B. after Noon subject to rent and landing charges at I cent per package per diem.

EDNESDAY, January 20 :---2 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at the residence of Mrs Chandos, No. 7, Gage Street.

ATUEDAY, January 23 :---2 p.m. -Auction of Entire Stock at Messrs Kuhn & Co.'s. Claims against the Prinz Friedrich Carl must be sent in to Mesers Russell & Co., on or before this date.

ATURDAY, January 30 :--3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of the H.K., C. & M. Steamboat Co., Ltd., at No. 7, Queen's Road Central.

Just Received

BEST VARIETIES:

White,

GRASS SEED

Yellow.

SWEET CORN.

S WATSON & Co., THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, January 2, 1886.

The publication of this issue commenced at 7.35 p.m.

# The China Ethil.

HONGKONG, PRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1886

TELEGRAMS. (Via Southern Line.) .

THE EASTERN QUISTION. Lonupy, 14th January Servia refuses to agree to terms of peace until the Roumelian question is settled.

THE SAMOA ISLANDS. The American Consul at the Island Apia (one of the Gilbert Group) confirms the seizure of Samoa by the German Cor-

# LOCAL AND GENERAL.

vette Albatros.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL OUTWARD BOUND :- Oxfordshire, November 13; Lennox, Nov. 17; Numida, Nov. 20 : Apean, Dec. 15 : Marklane, Dec. 18; Freje. December 22; Benarty, Djenmah, Merionethshire, Stentor, Rhosina, Marie, Dec. 29; Canton, Jan. 1; Glenearn, Telemachus, Jan. 5; Breconshire, Compton, Ulysses, Wladivostock, Jan. 8; Liektra, Ocus, Mareea, Jan.

HOMEWARD BOUND :- Nestor, Port Philip. Dec. 15 ; Glenfalloch, Melbourne, Jan. 8; Ajax, Benlarig, Glenaron, Jan. 12.

The Occidental and Oriental Co.'s steamer San Pablo, with the next American Mail, left Yokohama for Hongkong on Wednesday, the 13th inst., at daylight,

Tuesday, the 19th inst. THE P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer Orty of Sydneu left San Francisco via Honolulu the 29th Dec., and may be expected here about the 30th instant.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Glaucus, from ing of the 9th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 16th inst. The China Shippers Mutual S. N. Co.'s steamer Copack, from London, left instant, and may be expected here on or about the 18th inst.

The S. S. Clenfinlas, from London, left Singapore for this port on the 12th O. E. S. Co.'s steamship Orestes, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the

about the 22nd instant.

left Sydney for this port on the Brd the 1st Feb. THE delivery of the English Mail was be

THE English mail arrived here this evening too late for us to make use of any of the news brought on.

gun at 6. 45 this evening.

THE Agent of the Austro-Hungarian Lloyd' 3 P.M. - Mail closed, except for Late S. N. Co. informs us that the S. S. Medusa, from Trieste, left Singapore this afternoon

> from Laverpool, left Singapore for this port | The account which the Secretary Lisa port yesterday afternoon.

Wa remind our readers of the performance of the Snowdropa at the Theatre Royal to-morrow evening. The first part will as usual consist of song, and jokes, and in the second part the burlesque Villikins and his Dinah will be played.

By kind pormission of Colonel Foster and the Officers of the 2nd Northamptonshire Regiment, their regimental band will play in the Gardens on Sunday evening next, the 17th inst., the following programme .-March Eden above Bonnisses.

Overture Rosamunde Schubert

Selection Ariele Bach

Value Schlummerlied Coote

Prayer Finals Der Freischutz Weber.

THERE will be a base ball match to morrow, Saturday, commencing at Sp.m., between a team from the U.S. corvette Omaha and. the Club. The Club will be represented as follows :- Dr Pike ; Mr Robertson ; Mr A. K. Travers ; Mr C. S. Barff ; Mr C. A. Conner; Mr R. E. Withers Jr.; Mr J. S. Van Buren (Capt.)

A FATAL accident occurred about noon yesterday to a Chinese painter who was engaged painting one of the houses in Richmond Terraco. While at work at one of the upper windows of the house he overbalanced himself and fell to the ground, fracturing his skull so severely that he died upon the spot. He was removed to the Government Civil Hospital and thence to the Mortuary, where a Coroner's Inquest will be held upon the body, probably

In the Lancet for December we are glad to observe that a strong effort is being made to push forward the investigations suggested by M. Pasteur's discoveries touching rables. While the scientific world has hailed with gladness the possibility of finding a cure, much remains to be done before that end is satisfactorily reached. One point, however, is consoling to contemplate, and that is that there exists no certainty of evil consequences invariably following the bite of a rabid animal. It is pre-eminently important that investigation should be carried on, and this should be done by the help of the Government.

THE Lancet for December contains the a following notice :- We are informed that Dr John Dudgeon, who has spent twenty years of his life in Pekin, has translated "Gray's Anatomy" into Chinese. It will be curious to see how long it takes for this work to be understood and accepted by the Mandarins and the medical authorities of the Celestial Empire. The Baptist Missionary Society is very anxious to have a translation into Chinese of the British Pharm copecia or of Squire's "Companion's to it. Probably a simpler work on pharmacy and therapeutics would be more useful We congratulate Dr Dudgeon on so great and interesting an achievement as the translation of "Gray's Anatomy," and we trust that the Baptist Missionary Society will find both a translator and the money necessary for their benevolent design.

Probably some of our friends may enighten us in what way the Mandarins are supposed to accept this work by Dr Dudgeon, and who are the medical authorities' of the Celestial Empire. The Lancet would also appear to be entirely ignorant of the large number of medical works that have been already translated into Chinese by Dr J. G. Kerr and other quiet workers in this field.

From a statement, which appears in an-

other column, from the pen of Mr Wode-

house, Hon. Secretary of the Commission which is now acting for this Colony in connection with the Colonial and Indian Exhibition, it will be seen that business of considerable importance was considered at the last meeting. Touching the expenses and may be expected here on or about incurred in procuring the Hongkong exhibits, the Commission was informed that about \$5,500 had been expended. The Government grant of £500 (say \$3000), added to the sum set down by firms and members of the community (as money Liverpool, left Singapore on the morn- guaranteed to meet the costs of shipping, insurance, care-taking, etc., and other expenses'), produced a total of nearly nineteen thousand dollars, -the whole of Singapore for this port on the 11th which and more also would, it was stated, probably have to be expended before the Exhibition was concluded. It was agreed by the meeting that the Government should inst, and may be expected here on or be asked to vote a sum of £3500; as the about the 19th inst. Exhibition was set on foot by the Home Government, its expense ought not to 14th inst, and will be due here on the | fall upon residents; and that, as the local Government had asked for information as: Per Thibet, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the The Austro-Hungarian Lloyds Steam Navi- to the need for so large a sum, it was gation Co.'s steamship Medusa left decided that a detailed estimate should be instant, and may be expected here furnished to it of the probable expenses. As the Secretary observed that the Exhibi-The E. & A. B. B. Co.'s steamship Guthrie tion was in danger of being starved in the inst., and is expected here on or about interests of economy, it must be evident that, in the event of the local Government declining a further vote, the absorption of the entire Guarantee Fund will not suffice to meet expenses. If the Government-or rather the Legislative Council-agree that the sum asked for should be voted, then the Guarantee Fund will come in as a sort of reserve, and be used up as far as the demands arise, . It was announced that Measts Henry S. King & Co. had been appointed receivers for Hongkong; but it was decided that this need not interfore with the arrangement of sending Messas Butterfield and Swire inform us Mr Wodehouse to London to watch over 3.40 P.R.—Late Letters may be posted that the O. B. S. Co.'s steamship Orestes, the interests of the Hongkong exhibits.—

of what took place is necessarily belof; but

would perhaps have been better had the meetings of that body been less of a semi- operetta 'La Calandria,' was equally well have aroused greater general interest in the Exhibition than has yet been attained. starved in the interest of conomy,' while the expenditure is to exceed nineteen or twenty thousand dollars.

Loung Kang and another, applied to his was given in the Temperance Hall yester-Honour the Puisne Judge (Mr Russell) for | day evening, when a large and appreciative a warrant of ejectment against Young Hok Hoi, a tenant of a house in First Street, near the Western Market, on the ground that Hoi and the other tenants of the house were lepers, of whom we understand there are four. Plaintiff, in reply to his Lordship's question, said he had applied to the Registrar General's office, but he had been referred to the Court. Plaintiff admitted that he had not given one month's notice. His Lordship said that he could not interfere in the matter; the case was one for the Medical Anthorities and Sanitary Board. If defendant refused to remove at the end of the month, plaintiff might then obtain an ejectment warrant.

once continues to be given to the sale of ner. The other musical performers were diseased butcher meat, the vending of milk the two Misses Kennedy Edwards, who from cows suffering from disease, and the played the accompaniments with taste and means which ought to be adopted to pre- proficiency and also took part in a pianebutchers in large cities at Home purchase instead of merely holding inspections in printed, the order given below was somethe meat markets. We in Hongkong, save in times when the fatal pneumonia comes around, are fairly fortunate; but although the visits of the cattle disease place our officials on the qui vive, does there exist an adequate inspection of the Chinese-dairies in this Colony at ordinary times? This is a matter which, though apt to be overlooked whon no specific disease is known to be in the neighbourhood, is all-important to European residents here.

A PRIENDLY shooting match between two teams of eight men each of the Police Force took place at Kowloon yesterday afternoon. The match was arranged during the recent shooting competition, and the opposing teams were captained respectively by P.C. On the 16th December there was kindled of being starved in the interests of economy. Sutherland and A.S. Mackay. The ranges for the first time, the light in the new lightwere 200, 400 and 500 yards, seven shots house built on the Fourth Cape of Java to at each range, the highest possible being thus 28 at each range. In spite of the fact that a rather strong wind was blowing in THE second mate of the s. s. Hecuba, a fitful gusts during the afternoon across the German, accidentally fell overboard while range, some very good shooting was made, the ship was lying in Singapore harbour and the score put together by the winning and was drowned, being beyond recovery team, P.C. Sutherland's, of 521, is one the best totals ever made by a Police eight at Kowloon. The following were the scores:-

P.O. Sutherland (84)	23	24	21	68
P.C. Fowler (24)	26	22 -	19	-67
A.S. Sauers (81)	23	24	23	70
A.S. Duncan (21)	26	23	24	78
A.S. Macaulay (30)	17	12	. <b>1</b> 5	44
P.S. Butlin (51)	21	18	17	5(
A.S. Mann (89)	27	25	23	78
A.S. MacDonald (15)	25	24	19	68
		Tot	al	.52
A.S. Mackay (59)	22	21	21	6

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A.S. MacDonald (15)	25	24	19	.Da
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P.O. Ford (44) P.O. Fox (22)	24 23	16 20	14 22	

THE Zarzuela Opera Company gave their third performance in the City Hall Theatre better thereby, but it will prove a benefit last night to a very poor house. The entertainment was in every way as excellent as any of the preceding ones given by the array of empty benches in front of them. Interesting tiger adventure there. overture was a one-act operetta entitled following is a translation :---Viage Redondo, in which a Spanish gentleman is supposed to visit Manila for the largest royal figer I have shot in the the purpose of marrying his cousin, a fair had killed many human beings, and was Philippina. The lady, however, has given the terror of the whole neighbourhood. After her heart to another young gentleman with. I had lain in wait for it several times with out her parent's consent, and she is much troubled by the attentions of her cousin. Be- fear of this monster, I at length, on the fore long, however, an earthquake, typhoon, and large conflagration occur in rapid suc | ding a built through the heart as it was cossion at Manila, and the young gentleman | springing towards me. Often as I have resource DE SOUZAD. H. St. CLAIR OREELE who came a'wooing is so alarmed that he packs up his traps and returns to Spain, it, under a small attap roofing, there hung the above amount as twelve days' wages leaving his cousin free to follow the dictates a glimmering lantern, while I kept watch a from the defendant, who is manager of the of her heart and marry her first lover. The little further off behind the dog. Sudden. Hongkoog Hotel. Defendant not appearing both vocal and dramatic, falls to Sra. Ra- gave forth a dismal howl. Then I saw

ceedings of the Commission are becoming petulant temper of the young lady worried of the utmost importance to the public. It by her cousin's impetuous courting was hitherto, and their greater publicity would the stage for the only time during the evening. The performance concluded with Pobre Gloris, which was produced on the It will be a great pity if the Exhibition be opening night of the company, and was repeated last night by request. We hope to see a better house at the next performance of the company on Tuesday next.

audience, consisting mostly of our gallant soldiers and sailors, was present. . Though, perhaps, not so successful nor varied an entertainment as some of those given last season, the concert of last night gave genuine pleasure and satisfaction to the audience. whose interest never wearied. The appreciation of their efforts to entertain and amuse, which was manifested last night ought to encourage the organisers of these gatherings to continue their offerts. Last night's performers were all pretty well known to the Temperance Hall audiences, and were greeted as old favourites should Messra Taylor and Murch renewed their acquaintanceship with the patrons of these concerts by performing a very pleasing In the Home papers considerable promin- selection on the bells in a very elever man-

vent this outrage against sanitation. The forto duet. Among the singers Mr Swales progress made in the Veterinary Colleges (the Chairman) and Mr Scott (the Secretary) in Great Britain has much to do with this were perhaps the most successful, both improvement in the public feeling in regard being encored. Mr Anderson was also ento such subjects. Professor Walley, of the cored, and in reply gave a short recitation. wick (Chairman); The Hou. F. Stewart; Royal Veterinary College, has been lectur. Mr C. Haly, who has sung at many of the The Hon. E. L. O'Malley; The Hon. J. ing recently on this question, and he draws concerts, and who goes home in the Orontes, M. Price; The Hon. F. D. Sassoon; The a picture of the way in which low-class bade his many friends in the audience fare- Hon. Wong Shing; Commodore Morant, well from the stage. Probably the most R.N.; Messrs Coxon, Coughtrie, Crawcows in the last stages of disease and sell admired item in the programme was the ford, Gillies, Ho Kai, Hoppins, and H. the flesh to sausage-makers, etc.; while clog-dancing of Mr Jas. Mason, one of the E. Wodehouse (Honorary Secretary). many thousands of gallons of milk from such old battery of Royal Artillery leaving here tors to order the destruction of such Competition were won by Privates Greeves animals upon inspection of the animals in and Wells, of the Northamptonshire Regi-

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В	1—OventuneL'ImpressarioPiano and Violin. Miss Edith Kennedy-Edwards and Mr J. D. Woodford.  (A bey's best)	m
h	2-BALLAD (friend's his) Mr J. H. Anderson.	in
r	3—Sove from In Happy Mr A. W. Quinton.	E
מ	Maritana Waltring Waltring Louis Boxa round the Mr H. V. Prentice.	aı
8	Jater-buit	al
8	5-POPULAR AIRS ON THE Messis Taylor & Murch.	81
ď	6-Sono Our Guards Mr C. Haly.	0
u′	7—SINGING COMPETITION.	n)
n_	Interval of 5 Minutes.	b

	Interval of 5 Minutes:	
		Misses Rennedy-
B-PIANDFORTE	La fanfare des Drogons	Edwards.
0Guyn The II	arbour lights at Sea	Mr W. Hampton.
10—Example tox of	F CLOG DANCING	Mr Jas. Mason.
	I tell them my	Mr G. Swales.
11—Conte Sons	father's a Marquis	
12-Violin Bolo	The Harn that once (with variations)	ford.
	NG. The Brillsh Lion	Mr W. Watt.
Lara-Carro Cours (	Arran Good Boy I	Mr W. Scott.
k es	ontia Sadina	Mr C. Haly.
Accompanists:-	-Misses Kennedy-E	dwards, and Mr.
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replace that destroyed in the Krakatan out-

before any assistance could be sent to him or any attempt made to save him.

A special telegram from the Hague has been received at Batavia announcing that the Second Chamber of the States General has granted an amount of ten thousand guilders as subsidy for the expedition to New Guinea organized by the Netherlands Geographical Society.

THE Straits Times translates the following body like the Commission, the meeting from a Deli paper :- The many Europeans who, of late, have settled down in the coast states will certainly rejoice at hearing that it is the intention of the Ocean Steam Ship Company to bring them into direct and regular communication with Penang via Deli. The steamer Will o' the Wisn has been bought by the said Company for that purpose, and will, shortly, ply once in every ten days between Penang, Deli, Bedagei, Padang, Batu Bahru, Assahan and back. If need be Bobongan, and Pagurawan will also be ports of call. Not only will communication between Penang an somewhat changed for to many persons who object to venture out at sea in steam launches during bad

The overture, which was rather long, was recently been made public in a German ther under the circumstances the Commiscapitally executed under the leadership of newspaper and republished in the Deli sion still considered it necessary that he Maestro Cosca. The first piece after the Courant of the 12th December, of which the

> The photograph which I send you is of East. It was a so-called man-eater which difficulty from my finding hardly any one willing to accompany me, so great was the night of the 15th June, 10 minutes after midnight had a splendid shot at it by senhunted tigers. I shall never forget that moment. I had bound a dog to a stake ; over something like an enormous head with open mouth bounding through the air. It was a

the bullet lying wholly flattened in the mid- Court dle of the heart, yet it could make this not have been now alive and writing this long, and is the biggest I have ever seen.

Under the heading 'A Rhyme for the Time, a Home contemporary has the following :---

Where are you going to, my pretty maid ! "
I'm going a-voting, bir," she said. I'll be your escort, my pretty makl. I need not trouble you, Hir, alse said. Then will you not vote for me, my pretty maid!

Tell me your policy, Sir, she said.

Concession and cowardice, my pretty maid.

Ont of the question, Sir, she said.

Yet they are the cheapest, my pretty maid.

Not in the long run, Sir, she said. But I'll leave my friends to stow in their juice ; I'll let the colonies go to the dence; I'll truckle to Russia and worry the Ports (Pray look upon that as my special forte);
I'll shut my ears when a here calls;
And I'll go when he dies to the music-halls. How will that suit you, my pretty maid !."
I could not consent to it, Sir, she said. Never mind foreign affairs, my lass; I'll give you a cow and three acres in gras: The cow shall be Smith's and the grass shall be Brown And the batter will buy you a couple of gowns. What, do you say to that, pretty maid!'
Robbery! bribery, Sir!' she said.
Then I won't be your escort, my pretty maid!'
Nobody asked you, Sir!' she said.

## COLONIAL AND INDIAN EXHIBI

The following particulars have been furnished to us by Mr H. E. Wodehouse of the meeting of the Exhibition Commission held at the City Hall on the afternoon of the 12th January.

There were present :- The Hon. W. Kes-

At the request of the Chairman, the animals are sold for the use of susceptible in the Orontes for Trincomalee. He is one Honorary Secretary made a statement of young children! The practical cure for of the claverest amateur clog-dancers we the present condition of affairs and of all such villary is, the empowering of inspect have over seen. The prizes in the Singing. Exhibition. His statement was to the effect the date of meeting, in which were confprehended freight, insurance, packing and all the farms and dairies where they are kept, ment. The following is the programme as purchases, there had been expended in vafive thousand five hundred dollars.

The Honorary Secretary added that some nonthe ago a circular had been sent round tating that it was considered necessary n order that at the Colonial and Indian Exhibition to be held in London next year he Colony may be in a position to send irticles to the Exhibition and to be suitably represented in its exhibits, to have a sum of money guaranteed to meet the costs of Shipping, Insurance, Care-taking, &c., and other expenses,' and requesting ' Members of the Community and Firms kindly to state the amounts for which they are prepared to pledge themselves. appeal and brought in promises to the

extent of fifteen thousand six hundred dollars, which, in addition to the Government grant of five hundred pounds sterling, created a working basis of about nineteen thousand dollars, the whole of which and more also would probably have to be expended before the Exhibition was concluded, and that as it was, the Exhibition was in danger The meeting agreed that the expenses

must necessarily be heavy, and the Chairman read a letter which he had written to the Colonial Government asking for a vote of three thousand pounds sterling, and ing an agency for the sale of Pak-kop-pi pointing out that the Exhibition was set on lottery tickets at 83 Queen's Road Central, foot at the instance of the home authorities and also of disobeying a summons of the through the local Government, and that it Court on the 14th just. A previous convicwas not reasonable that private individuals | tion for keeping an agency for pak-kop-pic or firms should be called upon to defray the | was proved against him and he was now expenditure. The reply from the local Go- fined 880, with the alternative of four vernment was also read, enquiring in what months' hard labour. way it was estimated that so large a sum would be required. The meeting fully concurred in the Chairman's views, and it was agreed that an estimate of the expenditure likely to be required be furnished for the information of the local Government.

Meanwhile it was determined that the preparations be pushed on with electity, and various articles were enumerated which it was considered advisable should be procured. It was also agreed that, in view of the difficulty of getting together a large would endorse all expenditure agreed to by the Chairman in conjunction with the Hou. Secretary, and it was further decided that it was advisable that some Chinese articans should be sent home to work in the Hongkong Court, the industries specified being ornamental bamboo work, lantern making,

A telegraphic correspondence between the Honorary Secretary, Mr H. E. Wods. house, and the Secretary to the Royal Commission. Sir Philip Canliffe Owen, regarding the limits of selection within which the Hongkong Exhibits could be comprised. was read, the result being that any article, whether manufactured in the Colony or Colony, is allowed to be exhibited.

No other business took place beyond that

The meeting considered that the appointment of Mesars H. S. King & Co. in no way affected their previous resolution: A vote of thanks to the Chairman terminated the proceedings.

### SUPREME COURT. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before His Honour J. Russell, Puisne

Friday, Jan. 15.

Plaintiff, who resides at the Temperance | produced ; six pieces had belonged to his in all will occupy an hour, and form the Carvajal. Bra Raguer's vocalisation in the fearful atoment to behold this sight under Hall, claimed the sum of 65 from the de- wife and the others to his son,

tremendous bound, but luckity backwards. Station, and he was there advised to sue in Had it been otherwie'l would very likely the Summary Court. He paid £1.3 for the prisoner with the the bangles produced, them in England. Defendant's workmen This forenoon, two Chinese landlords, The second People's Concert of the season letter. This monster was 12 feet 35 inches insinuated that plaintiff was drunk at the not identify the gold rings if she saw them. his own fault. The case was remanded until to-morrow for further evidence.

> LI PIR V. CAPTAIN GRANT, 2812.57. Plaintiff is a portrait painter, and defendant is master of the British barque George, knew deceased had a pair of jadestone bannow in harbour, and the claim was for gles; those produced were the ones; she painting portraits of Captain Grant himself know them by one of them being cracked. and of Mrs Grant's father and mother, from Sho remembered going to the Kishing photographs. An agreement had been come pawnshop on the 7th inst., with the last to that if the portraits were not satisfactory witness and at once identified the bangles the plaintiff was to take them back. They brought to the shop by the prisoner as were considered unsatisfactory by defendant those belonging to her mother-in-law. and his wife, and when plaintiff presented | Fung Ayau, boat-woman, living at Shauthem on board ship they were rejected. ki-wan, said that deceased was her adopted Plaintiff, however, secretly left them behind mother. She saw deceased about 8 p.m. in the cabin of the ship and then took out on the 3rd inst, in her boat in Shau-k a summons. The pictures were produced wan harbour. She could not identify the in Court, and Captain Grant and his wife jewellery worn by deceased, and did not pointed out to his Lordship what they con- know the prisoner. When she saw desidered the defects. Captain Grant said he ceased in her boat on the evening of the any price, but he was willing to take the wearing her bangles. other two if they were altered in accordance with his wishes. Plaintiff, who had painted a portrait of the George which was accapted, was given a week to try and amend the portraits. If he failed to do so to the satisfaction of defendant, then judgment would go against him.

FOURNIER v. GALLY, -\$43.53. some goods shortly.

what defendant was, and plaintiff said he prisoner and the other man in the boat did not know. He knew he was a French- with deceased. The prisoner asked him man, and it was only because he was a when he got into the boat, 'do you want to countryman that he gave him the goods and go over to the other side.' Witness said

Judgment was given for plaintiff, with

Police Intelligence. (Before N. G. Mitchell-Innes, Esq.) Friday, Jan. 15. LARGENY.

Wong Aping, coolie, was charged with stealing a clock and a lamp, value \$6.40, the property of one Sin Yau Wai, on the 17th December last.

Complainant, who is a schoolmaster, deposed that on the 17th December last there was a fire at his school in the Wanchai During the continuance of the fire he saw the prisoner take the clock and amp, the property of the school, and run away. On the following day complainant went to prisoner's house and the prisoner returned to him the lamp and promised to get the clock back also. He had not returned the clock as promised so complainant had him arrested.

Prisoner admitted taking the clock and lamp to his house. He had given the clock to a man named Chi Chenng. He was sentenced to six weeks' hard

Chan A U was convicted on the evidence of P.C. Wood and un informer, of keep-The fine was paid.

## (Before A. G. Wise, Esq).

THE MURDER OF A BOATWOMAN Liu Ayau, alias Kwong Tau Tai, coolie, appeared on remand charged with having murdered a woman named Leung Ayau, on the night of the 3rd or morning of the 4th Jan., at Shau-ki-wan.

Lau Ahon, P.C. 302, deposed that on the 4th inst., about 11.30 a.m., while on duty at Hungham, he saw a boat drifting inshore with the deceased woman in it. rep reed to the Sergeant and went back to the boat, which was then beached. He saw the deceased woman in the forehold. handkerchief was tied over her face and a piece of string was tied tightly over a rag which covered her mouth. The body was lying on its right side. The face and neck blowing at the time and the tide only being represented by little dancers. was coming in from Ly-ee-moon Pass.

piece of cord, knotted at the back of her tools and use them; and shows him

but he was not sure about the tide. her alive about 8 o'clock on the morning of as the stage will hold. Here we are to Plaintiff, an Indian watchman, claimed the 1st inst. Deceased did not live in the have one of those phantasmagoric tableaux same boat as witness. He was on friendly which are the magic of Signor Manzotti. terms with deceased and did not know that The dances, historically studied, are intershe had had any quarrel with any one. He woven with the gladiatorial fights; jugglers, without the stillness of the night when the case was called, judgment went did not know what money she had. He knew slaves, and vestal virgins; the legions and the had a pair of jadestone bingles and two the people. There are to be 410 persons, gether it has always seconed a hardship that kong or Shanghan gold finger rings. He could not identify horses with trumpeters, and even an ele-

it will readily be seen by it that the pro- operatta was much admired, and the light of a lantern, like that of a blood- fendant as the value of a pair of trousers. Fung Amui, wife of Li Sung Tsai, had rud flame shooting sudden'y out of a fur- which were destroyed by the axle of a seen the body of deceased at the Mortuary cruelties of Imperial Rome. Love re-sp. The new renace. Accustomed as I was to quick firing trolly which was under the charge of some and identified it as that of her mother; pears with the hymns of the Christians; the striker's bar when shooting in dark jungle, my finger of the defendant's workmen in Queen's She last saw her alive over ten days before has a hard struggle with luxury and vice, the object balls, the admirably pourtrayed. The next piece, the followed instinctively the eye, and by a Road last Sunday afternoon. Plai tiff her death. Did not know that her mother and cannot avert the destruction of Rome the billiard spot, and shot fired with lightning-like rapidity I hit alleges that while he was walking along had a quarrel with any one. She knew by barbarian hordes. In the eleventh and the spot between the h the gigantic tiger when it had sprung just Queen's Road West in an Easterly direction she had four gold finger ring, one pair twelfth tubleaux we are transported to the the striker goes on from private character than they have been performed and brought Era Suzara on to half way before reaching the dog. In the next moment a cloud of dust arose, then cares of matches, and the men in charge bangles pro- of the Alps, where we are entertained with off the white into either of the top a death-like stillness. I afterwards found caused the trolly to pass so close to him duced as those worn by her mother. She a barbaric dance of sixteen couples, and or a not very difficult cannon. Plaintiff took one of the men to the Police She remembered going to a pawnshop with see Love tending the wounded and Bar- the stroke was made. a constable on the 7th inst. and seaing which she identified at once. She could

> Lai Sap Ng, daughter-in-law of decessed, last saw deceased alive about noon on the 3rd inst. in her boat at Shau-ki-wan She did not have any conversation with her then, but passed her in her boat. Sh

would not have the portrait of himself at 3rd she was alone in the boat, and was

Ching Sau Tuk, the son of deceased, said. board ship. He could identify the bangles belonging to his mother. (Witness here picked out the bangles from amougst a number of others.)

Chun Asam, a stonecutter living at Shauki-wan, said he knew deceased, who went Plaintiff is a storekeeper in Queen's by the name of Leung Ho and kept a small Road Central, and claimed the amount boat which she plied for hire. He saw her mentioned for stores supplied and cash lent | at 9 o'clock on the night of the 3rd inst., from 20th December to the 6th January, at Shan-ki-wan in her boat. Two men Defendant admitted the debt, and said were also in the boat, of whom one was he had asked plaintiff for time. In reply the prisoner. He had known the prisoner to His Lordship's question as to what by the nick-name of Kwong Tau Tai for he was, defendant said he was the repre- more than a year. He knew the other scritative of a large firm in France, but was man who was in the boat by sight. He temperarily in difficulties. He got the went to deceased's boat and wanted be be money to telegraph Home. He expected taken across to the point, the other side of Shau-ki-wan. Deceased His Lordship asked plainfiff if he knew him and landed him, and he left the yes,' and that was all the conversation

> &c. in a small boat at Shau-ki-wan, knew deceased as Leung Ho. She had a small boat at Shau-ki-wan which she plied for hire. He last saw her at 10 o'clock on the night of the 3rd inst. He saw the prisoner and Loung Ho in the boat together. The prisoner called to witness as he wanted to buy some cakes. He bought 8 cash worth of cakes. Witness asked Leung Ho where she was going and she said to Wong Koksui, which is near Quarry Bay. He had known the prisoner Atai for a few months but did not know his nick-name. He saw that Leung Ho had a pair of bangles on when he saw her in the boat but he could

not identify them. Chun Asz, P.C. 123, gave evidence as. the identification of deceased as Leung Ayau | recently issued a revised set of the Rules of by the five witnesses at the Mortuary. Tung Asun, recalled, said his wife was compiled and approved by the following

Tung Amui, the daughter, also said that J. North, W. J. Peall. D. Richards, John her mother was known by the name of Roberts, son., John Roberts, jun., J. G.

Leung Ho, to many people at Shau-ki-wan, Sala, and T. Taylor. as well as by her proper name of Leung | The new rules number forty-nine in all about 10 o'clock he placed the prisoner contained in Rule 4, which states that

to the prisoner, who, he said was Atai who I tion is not very apparent. was in a boat with deceased at Shau-ki-wan again changed his clothes and took upla or by making a cannon off the opponent with him at Shau ki wan, on the night of the 3rd inst.

a week for medical evidence to be pro-

## A NOVEL ITALIAN BALLET.

A correspondent of a Sydney paper, writing from Rome on October 30, says:

I hear from Milan that the author of the famous ballet ' Excelsior,' which has attracted such crowds, night after night, in various European capitals, is about to produce at the Theatre of La Scala another grand nonent whether a score is made or not ballet, called 'Amor,' which promises to be the highest flight of choreographic art in things unattempted yet. The curtain will rise upon chaos. While, however, a chorus sings from the upper part of the stage, a superior power sends love to transof deceased were nearly black. He put the form shapeless matter into the virgin world, body into a dead box and took it to the covered with plants and trees, amidst which move animals of various species. All this drifting inshore. A Southeast wind was is a triumph of mechanism, the monkeys Now appears the First Man, seemingly not, so long as it forms a resource of the He was quite sure as to the direction of the much puzzled what to make of himself and existence. He goes to sleep at the approach George Sauers, P.S. 81, examined, stated of night. Love sends him the First Woman, the Honorary Secretary informed the meet- that on the morning of the 4th inst. about and all is bright, and life no longer an ing that, subsequent to the decision of the 11.40, last witness reported to him that a enigma. So much for the first two tal-leaux. Commission to send him home to watch boat was on the beach with a dead woman In the third we see the torrent of humanity, company, although the clever artistes must A LETTER from a gentleman named Von after the interests of the Hongkong Court, in it. He went down to the beach and represented by 300 dancers in primeval player to follow on and break the balls allow. All such orders must be expressed have been considerably dispirited by the Hornresiding in Deli, giving an account of an advices had been received that Sir Philip found a small pull-away boat. Underneath costume, streaming along a broad road. himself. A foul stroke is an act of care in British currency. in it. He went down to the beach and represented by 300 dancers in primeval Owen had appointed Mesers H. S. King & a piece of mat and a board, in the hold, he Love (the prima ballerina, Signora Guiri) lessness, and yet if the score stood 99 all, Co., receiving agents, and he enquired when found the body of deceased lying on its appears a civilizing influence among these a player by such an act of carelessness there under the circumstances the Commission. One arm was underneath the body rude natures. They all try to imitate might very likely win the game, if the rule and one twisted round over her chest. She Love's grace and caressing movements, and was blind-folded by a handkerchief tied this forms the first dance. The idea of the tightly, and another handkerchief was stuf- family thus imparted, in the fourth tableau fed in her mouth. A third handkerchief Love teaches work, showing man where to over the one in her mouth was tied with a find iron in the mountains, how to make foul stroke; and Rule 28 says that playing head, Her ankles were also tied together. | vision the conquests of Art. Love's pupils There were no cars or sails in the boat, set eagerly to work; they make statues, at unily a few time or pots. The wind was first out of proportion, blow discordant blowing from the direction of Shan-ki-wan, sounds from reeds, but gradually reach the perfection of art as in the age of Pericles. Tung Ason deposed that he was a fisher. The fifth tableau represents Parnassus with man and lived in a boat at Shau-ki-wan. the dance of the Muses and the Graces On the 4th inst. he went with Inspector it ends with the Parthenon crowded with all Perry to the Mortuary, where he now the the great men and women of Greece. body of deceased, which he identified as There is a whole sketch of Roman history that of his wife Loung Ayan. He last saw in the sixth, with as much of the Forma

The second not represents the ornics and or canno. barossa running away, hiding his crown

### HAND GRENADES.

The American Architect savs :-- It seems

to us that some one might do his fellowcitizens a good turn by telling the truth about the fire-extinguishing hand-grenades which are sold now in such enormous quantitios. There are so many varieties of them that we will not attempt to say what they are all filled with, but, so far as we have been able to ascertain, not one gives out when thrown into a fire. any of those efficacious gases which they are popularly supposed to contain, and we have yet to hear of any which possess more virtue than in heres in a bottle of salt and water, or of alum solution, while the disadventages of their employment are considerable. It not many weeks since smoke was discovered, early one morning, proceeding from and a rush was made for the hand grenades he had not seen his mother alive for nearly by the few persons who happened to be in two months, as he was employed as coolie on the building. A washstand with two faucets stood within ten feet of the smoking floor-boards, just outside the door of the room, and pails and pans were not far off; but instead of availing themselves of this obvious means of attacking the faint threads of smoke which were alone visible, the amateur firemen threw their grenades apparently at random over the room and the adjoining closet, completely ruining with dark chemical stains every object of value upon which the liquid contained in them was spattered, but of course producing no effect upon the fire beneath the flooring. Finally, a four-inch hose was dragged into the room from a standpipe near by, and, after cutting a hole through the floor, a stream was turned in large, enough to drown a lively conflagration, completing the destruction which the perfectly useless hand grenades had begun, and, like them, accomplishing nothing which two quarts of water, applied with a little common sense, would not have one equally well, without incidentally spoiling a considerable part of the contents of the office, as well as of Chung Aloi, a hawker who hawked cakes, that under it. If the grenades contained nothing but water in a convenient shape. there would be no great objection to them but the mystery of the ingredients which fill them gives them a false value in the eyes of the ignorant, who forget all about using the water pails close at hand in their anxiety to invoke the mighty genii of the blue bottles, and thus throw away the precious opportunity which, in fires, neve comes but once, and lasts only a few

THE NEW RULES OF BILLIARDS. The Billiard Association of Great Britain and Ireland have (says the London Standard)

Billiards, which are stated to have been known by the name of Leung Ho as well as | professional players :- F. Bennett, Bennett, W. Cook, G. Collins, W. Mitchell,

and vary considerably in many respects Inspector Perrydeposed that this morning from the old ones. The first alteration is with twelve other men together in the Gaol. | should the ordinary spot be occupied, the The prisoner was allowed to change his red ball must be placed on the pyramid clothes. He took the position of sixth man spot. Formerly the rule was to place it in in the line and then the witness Cheung | the centre of the table between the two Aloi was brought up and at once webt up | middle pockets. The reason of this altera-

Rule 9 states, A four-stroke is made by on the evening of the 3rd inst., and bought | pocketing the two white balls, by making some cakes from him. The prisoner then a cannon and pocketing an opponent's ball, different position and the witness Chun ball and pocketing his own. Rule 16 Asam was brought in, and at once walked | afterwards states that, 'If a player, in makup to the prisoner, who he said he knew as ling a cannon, should strike the two object Kwang Tau Tai, who was in the same boat | balls simultaneously, the stroke shall be scored as if the white ball had been struck first.' In the old rules a simultaneous can-The case was then further remanded for non followed by a pocket of the striker's | tri ball counted five, and not four. They stated. A five-stroke may be made by scoring a cannon and pocketing the red | \* ball; or by a cannon and pocketing the striker's ball after having struck the red

ball first : or both halls simultaneously; or by pocketing the red ball and the opponent's ball without cannoning. The only other alteration in the scoring is contained in Rule 19, which states that. If a player, after striking a ball, forces either his own or the object ball, or both balls, off the table, it counts two to his op-

score is made it does not count; and the

opponent breaks the balls. Rule 30 states. Foul strokes are made thus-By touching any ball; by in any way impeding or accelerating the progress of a ball : by playing with a wrong ball (for penalty see Rule 25) or by lifting both feet from the ground whilst making a stroke: but the new rules fail to state what is the penalty for a foul stroke in these cases, beyond Rule 31 stating. score can count by a foul stroke. old rules of billiards, on the principle that | \* Italy. no player should be allowed to profit by an act of carelessness, says, Thi penalty for scoring by any foul stroke is losing the score so made, and the opponent breaks the balls; or the opponent may order the 2d in the £1, for which the remitter should given in Rule 30, Rule 27 states that playing while the red ball is off the table is a

pefore the balls have done rolling is a foul stroke. In both these cases the penalty is, The opponent breaks the balls, and it is not optional with the opponent to make the layer who is the offender break the balls himself. This alteration of the game is miust in principle.

Rule 22 might have been joined with rule 30, as it states that 'All strokes must be played with the point of the cue, otherwile the stroke is foul. No penalty however, is attached.

A very important alteration has also been made in the game in the case of the balls touching. Very often the balls touching one another is the result of very good play. When anyone plays to bring the balls to- or Money Orders the ban les. He identified the clothing phant, on the stage. These eight tableaux as in the old rules, when the balls touched the player could not score, but had either places by means of

lying 120 feet from my ambush. It had that the axlo caught the side of his trought see Italian ladies bearing a white standard, method of not apoiling a break in the case made a death bound of 40 feet, and then in sers and tore one leg open from top to belonged to her and she gave them to her the symbol of peace, to Barbarossa, which of the balls touching would have been to its dying agony had rooted up the ground bottom, rendering them perfectly usaless mother. One of the bangles had been he declines accepting, and continues his allow the player to play any stroke, cannon for 80 feet around. On opening it I found for wear. The trousers were produced in cracked. She could also identify some of march. We do not actually witness the or hezard, such struke to count, but on the clothing as belonging to her mother. battle of Legnand, but we hear the noise; condition that the balls did not touch after

As the new rule now stands, if the balls beneath his mantle. The subject of the are a hair s-breadth apart, or if light can be grand final tableau is to be the Triumph of seen between them, the player can push Love, but the author has not yet decided his ball through the other, and either canupon its composition or revealed his ideas non or make a hazard. Why, therefore, not do the same if they touch, providing against a continuation of strokes with the

balls touching i Rule 47 states The marker shall not be allowed to tell a player how far he is 'off' a ball, or inform him whether he is in a

position for striking or not." This rule will hardly be used by amateurs, and seems somewhat analogous to making a rule in cricket forbidding the umpire giving the batsman 'block,' Of course, in matches for money. - where these rules may possibly be enforced, the player could lav the rest and cue on the table and walk round and judge the distance for himself, butsuch delay would probably be witnessed with some impatience by the audience, and the necessity of the rule is, to say the least. extremely doubtful.

Several other alterations have been made such as the 'Quill' stroke ferbidden, and what constitutes a spot-barred game decided, one spot hazard only being allowed. This decision will affect the best all round broaks that have been recorded up to the present time, inasmuch as they have not. strictly speaking, been fall round, as formerly two spot hazards in succession were

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